

## Message Text

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: EAID, UV, CH

SUBJECT: CHINESE AID TO UPPER VOLTA

REF: OUAGA 2495

1. WELL-PLACED GOUV SOURCE INFORMS US THAT CHINESE LOAN REPORTED REFTEL IS LINE OF CREDIT FOR WHICH SPECIFIC PROJECTS NOT YET AGREED, DESPITE FOREIGN MINISTER CONOMBO'S PUBLIC MENTION OF AGRICULTURE, IRRIGATION, AND POSSIBLY RAILWAY TO TAMBEO. AS REPORTED, LOAN AMOUNT IS CFA 11,286 MILLION (ABOUT DOLS 50 MILLION) REPAYABLE OVER 25 YEARS WITH TEN-YEAR GRACE PERIOD, AT NO INTEREST.

2. NEGOTIATIONS ARE CURRENTLY UNDERWAY FOR CHINESE GRANT AID, WHICH VOLTANS HOPE WILL AMOUNT TO ABOUT DOLS 20 MILLION. THIS AID WILL INCLUDE COMPLETION OF KOU VALLEY RICE PROJECT, WHICH HAD BEEN THREE-FOURTHS DONE BY CHINESE NATIONALISTS BEFORE THEIR DEPARTURE IN SEPTEMBER. DECON 12-17-75.

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